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## SPECIAL NOTICES.

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G. A. R. — O. P. MORTON POST, NO. 4, will have their annual memorial sermon preached SUNDAY EVENING, May 28, 1833, at the Nineteenth Street Baptist Church (cor. 1 and 19th sts. n. w.) by the pastor, Rev. Walter H. Brooks. Members will assemble at 7:30 o'clock in the basement of the church. Comrades of other posts are cordially invited to join with us. WALTER MIDDLETON. 1SAAC S. HAWKINS. Commander. my23-eoit Adjutant.

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Not Working on a Tariff Bill. Representative W. L. Wilson of West Virginia says he is not working on a tariff bill. He says that between being sick and being busy he has had no time to think of a tariff

ways and means committee. At the same time there is a very good chance of his getting that Torpedo Practice. The torpedo boat Cushing arrived at Sag Harbor, Long Island, yesterday for torpedo

The Assembly's Judicial Committee Favor Hearing the Appeal.

Lawyers and Theologians Engage in a Dialectic Battle.

REV. TOM HALL'S VICTORY.

Scenes in the Assembly on the Eve of a Great Trial.

Big men loomed up in the general assembly this morning, big men physically and mentally. There were the tall figure of Rev. Tom Hall, the broad frame of Elder Eudaly, the great form of Judge Wills of Gettysburg. There were others equally burly and brainy. It was a skirmish preceding the battle of the giants. Voices rang out loud and clearly and earnestly in a short and sharp debate over a proposal to refer overtures relating to the Briggs case to the judicial committee. Anti-Briggs men opposed such a reference, but the proposal was finally carried, not because of the strength of the Briggs side so much as the superior strength of the position they held on this particular point. In this matter they had the committee on bills and overtures with them. The lawyers threw themselves into the



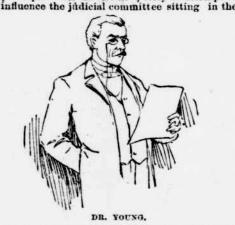
midst of the conflict with the theologians and were worsted. Rev. Tom Hall routed them with ecclesiastic law. The right of petition was maintained. It was the opening of an interesting day. The report of the judicial committee on the appeal of Prof. Briggs was the order for the opening of the afternoon session. It was well known in the morning that the majority of the committee would report in favor of entertaining the appeal and the trial of the case by the assembly: still the actual report was awaited with much interest. After the skirmish in the morning over the overtures the subject of home missions occupied the attention of the assembly and

several eloquent speeches were made. The fifth day's session of the general assembly began this morning in the New York Avenue Church promptly at 9:30. The usual half hour devotional exercises were conducted by Rev. A. Nelson Hollifield, D. D., of Newark, N. J. Then the moderator took the chair and the journal of the preceding day's session

THE RECEPTION AND RIDE. Dr. Bartlett made a further announcement in regard to the reception by Mrs. Brice this afternoon and said that the commissioners who had not as yet received cards of invitation would find them in the post office. He added further that the reception was unconventional, and that the ordinary street dress could be worn. It was not expected, observed Dr. I artlett, that the guests should remain the entire three hours, but the company would come and go. He explained that the Corcora house, residence of Mrs. Brice, was not the Cochran Hotel. He gave the exact location and further said that the house had no front door, as some one had said, but that the entrance was through a sort of alley.

A notice was also given of the carriage ride to Arlington and the Soldiers' Home, which has

The Briggs Overtures Again. Dr. Young, chairman of the committee or bills and overtures, recommended that five overtures, numbered from 203 to 207 inclusive which, he said, had a bearing directly or indirectly on the case before the committe, be re ferred to the judicial committee. Dr. Booth said he believed it to be false in principle and unwise in policy to attempt to



preparatory stages of a court by appeals to it bearing upon a matter under investigation. Suppose the appeals were intended to stimulate a prosecution and were against the defendant? He did not believe the idea of referring them to that committee would be entertained for a moment in such a case. He thought that it was enough that this committee should pass upon the questions of law before it. He did not think it right that they should have fifty or sixty overtures on the subject referred to it. He thought these matters should come before the assembly itself when it acted on the Prof. Brown said that it was a matter of leasure to some of them to know that there

that the proper mode of procedure, and the one the assembly had a right to was the considera-tion of them by the judicial committee. Dr. Young said that the committee had simply followed precedent. Dr. Booth, he said, was mistaken in saving there were fifty or sixty such overtures. There were not nearly so

and he believed he knew something of the character of the overtures referred to. He was of the opinion that if the assembly was aware of their character that they would all be remanded back to the presbyteries. These papers had reference to a judicial case that would come before the assembly and was now before the judicial committee, and they were designed to affect the judgment in the case. He thought that such papers ought to be stamped with disapproval and pageon holed by the committee on bills and overtures. He believed that it was an outrage on justice and that either the com-

an outrage on justice and that either the committee ought to turn such witnesses down or report them to the assembly for its action.

Dr. Herrick Johnson said that this was not a question as to the interpretation of law. The law simply provides for the reference of the matter to the synod if the assembly deems advisable. Now, the question was not of law, but of expediency, and the assembly certainly should have the enlightenment contained in these overtures as to the sentiment of the presoyteries.

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Mr. Endaly asked what question of reference was before the assembly.

Dr. Johnson said he was replying to what Judge Wills had said on the assumption that this was a question of law. It was not a question of law, but one of expediency, and on that ground the presbyteries which had overtured the assembly ought to be heard. ANOTHER JUDGE SPEAKS.

Judge Purnell said this was a judicial case brought to the highest judicatory of the church. Suppose one of the pleas of the case was as to

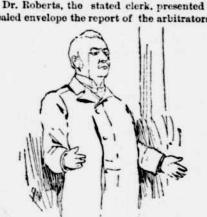


DR. GRAHAM OF PHILADELPHIA. he jurisdiction of the assembly. In that case it was manifestly unjust that any presbytery except that of New York should come in here and interfere. It was manifestly unjust and in a civil case would not be tolerated for a moment. No presbytery, he insisted, had a right to interfere in a case of this kind and to undertake to influence by many that the standard of the standard take to influence by popular vote and clamor action on a case before a committee of the as-There was considerable applause from different

earts of the house following the remarks of diferent speakers. When Dr. Thos. C. Hall, the handsome young divine from Chicago, made a spirited speech he received a burst of applause which was more marked than that given to the others, and proceeded from the Briggs "cor-ECCLESIASTICAL AND NOT LEGAL PRECEDENTS.

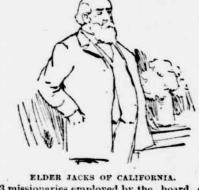
Dr. Hall protested against citing precedents from civil courts to influence the assembly. There was not, he declared, a civil court, there was not a court in Christendom that would try this case. This was an ecclesiastical court and the ecclesiastical precedents were overwhelm-ingly in favor of the right of petition. Dr. Young, chairman of the committee on bills and overtures, said the committee had carefully considered these matters and the majority "Let us," said Dr. Young, "give the benefit of every doubt to what we call the weaker side." The recommendation of the committee that the overtures be referred to the judicial comnittee was then approved, although there was a very large minority apparently against such reference.

THE UNION SEMINARY CASE. Dr. Roberts, the stated clerk, presented in a sealed envelope the report of the arbitrators on



REV. W. C. ROBERTS. the part of the essembly in the case of the Union Theological Seminary. On his motion it was eferred directly to the committee on theological seminaries without being read to the assen

The report on the work of the board of home missions was presented by Rev. Dr. L. G. Graham of Philadelphia and was a powerful presentation of the importance and value of the operations of the board. Eefore entering upon the discussion of the subject the committee paused to pay a fitting tribute to the services f one of the secretaries, the late Rev. Dr. Kendall, whose death occurred during the year Another secretary, Rev. Wm. Irving, D. D. resigned on account of failing health.



sionaries employed by the board eight had died during the year. An officer of board had been especially appointed to look after the work undertaken by the Christian Endeavor and Westminster Societies, Referto the agents of the board not to interfere with other denominations in organizing churches or to establish churches needlessly. The board carries on schools in connection with its work and in different parts of the country has 122 schools in operation equipped with 379 teachers. immigration to this country and added that while during the last year over \$900,000 had been contributed by the churches for home that was before the board it would be necessar o double this amount for the ensuing year. Last year, he said, there were over churches that did not contribute to home missions. He urged that all ministers take the subject home to these churches and urge the importance of giving to this work, for which there was so much need. THE RECOMMENDATIONS.

The committee's recommendations were in

the form of resolutions commending the work of the board, enjoining it to spend more in the evangelization of cities; that the work of the woman's executive committee be encouraged; that Sabbath schools set aside days for home mission contributions, and that the presby-teries be cautioned as to making recommendavere fifty or sixty such overtures. He argued CHURCHES THAT SHOULD BE ABANDONED. When the report was made Dr. Graham sup-

plemented it with a brief address especially dwelling upon the importance of presbyteries exercising more care in recommending churches to the board for aid. He spoke of one church that had been on their rolls and drawing from Judge Wills of Gettysburg, Pa., said that he was the treasury for sixty years. In his opinion a member of the committee on church polity, (Continued on Eleventh Page.)

and he believed he knew something of the char-SHE IS RESTING TODAY

> The Princess Eulalie Got Somewhat Tired Sightseeing Yesterday.

THE WHITE HOUSE DINNER

In Her Honor Tonight Will Be a Great Event-Elaborate Floral Decorations Be ing Arranged-The Other Guests - A Trip to Mt. Vernon Tomorrow. This morning was a sort of go-as-you-please

for the royal party at the Arlington. There was no formal program for them to follow until after their midday breakfast. Visitors came and went, especially the latter. Her royal highness saw no one. The party is just a little fatigued. The warm weather has something to do with increasing this feeling, and yesterday's program of sightseeing through the Treasury, Capitol and on top of the Washington monument was rather hard work. Talking it all over yesterday it was decided to leave this morning an idle one.

Spanish minister went for a tally-ho drive. The lestination was Cabin John bridge, and, perhaps, to the Great Falls. TONIGHT'S WHITE HOUSE DINNER. Tonight the Infanta Eulalie and Prince An-

toine, the Duke Tamames and the marchiones will dine at the White House at 8 o'clock. There will be covers laid for thirty-six guests. Today the mansion was closed to sightseers, as the florists were busy decorating the rooms. Quantities of palms are arranged in the customary way in the east room, the other parlors and along the corridor to the state dining room, interspersed with blooming hydrangeas, &c. As the night promises to be warm there will naturally be less ses to be warm there will naturally be less



Among the guests will be the cabinet and ladies, Chief Justice Fuller, Gen. and Mrs. Schofield, the Spanish minister, Sen-ator Sherman, Senator Gray and Mr. and Mrs. Curry. Mrs. Gresham, Mrs. Olney and Mrs. Lamont have come on for the occasion. The princess will be escorted to dinner by the President and Mrs. Cleveland will go in with Prince Autoine.

A TRIP TO MOUNT VERNON. Tomorrow morning at 11 o'clock the royal party will set sail for Mount Vernon. The royal yachts in these waters at present not being considered just suitable for the entertainment of the princess the Macalester has been chosen. The party will consist of about fifty persons, the cabinet and their ladies, the members of the Spanish legation Bayard and wife, who derstood, be of the party.

Arlington chef will go along, will be so that luncheon will be so Bayard and wife, who are here, will, it is unserved at 12 o'clock before the party lands. will be pretty floral arrangements on the boat and the company will lunch at small tables laid in the ladies' saloon. The decks will be fixed up comfortably with the rugs and every semblance of comfort given wherever possible. At Mount Vernon the dis-tinguished visitors will be received by the regent of the Mount Vernon Ladies' Association, Mrs. Townsend, and all the vice regents, who are just assembling there for their annual immortal Washington will be back again in this city at 3 or 3:30.

At 9 o'clock tomorrow evening the Infants Eulalie and her suite will receive the diplomatic corps at the Arlington. At 10, or shortly after, she will go to the British embassy to attend the queen's birthday ball.

picture printed in today's STAR is from one taken yesterday by Mr. Prince. LAST NIGHT'S DINNER. Last night the princess was the guest of honor at a dinner given by ex-Minister to Spain and Mrs. J. M. L. Curry at their residence on M street. The honor of being the first to entertain the royal visitors is the result of the intimate personal acquaintance formed while Mr. and Mrs. Curry and her husband were residents of Madrid. The princess, therefore, gladly accepted the invitation to dinner and desired, too, that for once her royalty would be laid aside, and that she be entertained simply as any special guest in accord-

When the royal party arrived they were met at the carriage step by Mr. and Mrs. Curry and oscorted to the drawing room, where all the other guests had assembled. It was an attractive glimpse of the first American home she had seen which met the eyes of the princess. There were flowers in every direction. The stairway as far as it could be seen was covered with clusters of snowballs and green leaves. All through the parlors and dining room there were superb roses, and on the dinner table gleaming with its elegant furnishings there were three plats of American beauty roses.

Besides the Duke of Tamames and the Mar

chioness of Ereo Hermosa the others who had the pleasure of dining with the princess and her husband were the British ambassador and Lady Pauncefote, Mr. and Mrs. Calderon Carlisle, Mrs. Harriet Lane Johnston, Miss Pendleton, Miss Cameron, the Spanish, German, Austrian and Swedish ministers and Miss Connelly, a niece of the host, who was educated in Madrid, and who as a Shortly after 10 o'clock the guests invited for that hour commenced to arrive. The com pany was not large. It included Minister and and Mrs. Romero, Minister and Mrs. man, Senator and Mrs. Cockrell, Mrs. John

Mr. Le Ghait, Senator and Representative and Mrs. Cable, Mr. Rosa, Justice Brewer, Mr. and Mrs. Souza Archibald Hopkins, Mr. and Mrs. Albertini and all the members of the Spanish legation and Mr. Willing. The Grand Duke Alexander of Russia, accompanied by Prince Cantacuzene, came in shortly before 11. He left the city on the midnight train for New York. HER TOILET AND JEWELS. The princess charmed every one by her affa-

which most of the guests expected to greet her, she extended her hand to cach one and gave them the most cordial of handshakes. She was bright and witty and in every way gave expression to her enjoyment of every moment of her stay in this city and her pleasure in the delightful hospitality shown her.

She was most becomingly gowned in white and gold brocaded satin. The front of the skirt was of the brocade and the train, which fell away from the tiny waist in fan-like folds,

point applique, headed with small ro-settes of pink velvet. The bodice was low-necked, was trimmed with a bertha effect of the point applique and knots of the pink velvet. The sleeves were very short puffs of the white satin. In her hair she were a pearl-

headed comb. Around her neck and hang-ing down to her waist was a strand of enormous pearls. Six or eight diamond band train, derailing two oil cars. The oil took bracelets were worn. The princess, after the fashion of her country women, never looks to better advantage than when wielding her fan. The one she carried last night was of lace with mother-of-pearl sticks.

The princess remained until nearly all the

TO ENTERTAIN HER IN CHICAGO. Mrs. Logan and Mrs. Beriah Wilkins, representing the woman's board of the world's fair management, had an audience vesterday after-train that ran into the standing train, was folnoon with Princess Eulalie. Mrs. Tucker accompanied these ladies, whose purpose it was to extend the greeting of the woman's board and to confer with the princess as to her entertainment while the guest of that board in Chicago. They presented her with superb bouquets of red roses tied with yellow ribbons.

Train that ran into the standing train, was following it closely. When he came in sight of the oil train his air brakes would not work. He and his fireman barely escaped by jumping from their engine.

TARIFF TO BE REVISED.

A SERIOUS RUPTURE Between the Japanese and Corean Govern

The friendly mediation of the United States. through Secretary Gresham, has averted a serious rupture between the governments of So the princess and her household walked Japan and Corea. A few months ago the completely revised at the next session of Conout a little, drove a little, but rested more than latter country was threatened with famine, gress anything else. At noon time breakfast was and for purposes of self-preservation the served and at 1 the entire party with the export of coffee and grain was temporarily prohibited. The trade in these commodities was mainly in the hands of Japanese merchants

whatever. The cause of its subjects was assumed by the Japanese government and a demand was made for the revocation of the objectionable decree.

The Coreans maintained their position as just and reasonable under the circumstances, and refused to modify the decree against exports in any respect.

The SULLATION SPRIORS whatever. The cause of its subjects was as-

THE SITUATION SERIOUS. The situation became serious and it began to The situation became serious and it began to look as if the two countries would go to war.

The Japanese government recalled its minister fidence of the administration, but I understand from Corea and issued orders for the fitting out | that there will be an extra session in September of a war expedition against its western neigh-bor. The commercial nations of the world naturally became alarmed at the danger to their importance. It overshadows all others and is large interests in Japan and Corea and steps were taken to avert an actual resort to warfare. The United States took a leading part in the negotiations for a peaceful settlement of the difficulty, and Secretary Gresham instructed our diplomatic representatives at Tokio and Seoul to use their best endeavors to have the claim of the Japan-ese government adjusted on an honorable

A COMPROMISE EFFECTED. Secretary Gresham had frequent conferences to the same end with the ministers of Japan and Corea at this capital, with the a compromise between the amount offered and the amount demanded. The incident was closed within the past few

as a splendid achievement on the part of our diplomatic representatives, as but for their good offices the two eastern countries would ndoubtedly have gone to war. THE GETTYSBURG FIELD.

Power of the Government. try protesting against the spoliation of the historic battle ground of Gettysburg. He is now examining the question of the legal powers of the government in the premises, with a view to suitable action.

The trolley company which is building a road over the park has informed the department that it has no disposition to interfere with the historic lines of battle, and that it is willing to be governed by any competent authority in the

Secretary Lamont told a STAR reporter today that he will take no further steps in the matter until he hears from Major Geo. B. Davis of the judge advocate general's de-partment, who is now looking over partment, who is now looking over the situation of affairs at Gettysburg. He was sent by the Secretary of War to make a special inspection of the battlefield and is expected to return to Washington tonight.

THE ATLANTA'S SLOW TIME. she Has Taken Ten Days Longer Than Was

Expected. officials of the Navy Department over the slow trip of the Atlanta, and it is even inthe slow trip of the Atlanta, and it is even in-sinuated that her commanding officer, Capt. Higginson, hopes in this way to vindicate his revolutionary forces at Leon and Granada are judgment against her starting with defective boilers. The vessel left New York on the 12th instant and was expected to reach her destination, Greytown, Nicaragua, on the 18th instant. The Boston, her sister ship, made the same trip in five days three years ago, when there was no special necessity for haste. The Atlanta arrived and sailed from Kingston, Jamaica, on Greytown tonight or tomorrow. She has already been ten days on the trip. It is possible that she has had bad weather and adverse

Capt. J. R. Bartlett, who will succeed Capt. Higginson in command of the Atlanta, left New York today for Greytown per merchant steamer, and will reach there few days later than Capt. Higginson. The leaver will return home at once. It is expected that the court of inquiry which he asked for will be appointed as soon after his return as the necessary be gotten together.

SUPPLIES FOR ST. ELIZABETH'S. Washington Bidders.

partment for furnishing general supplies for following were the local bidders: W. M. Galt & Co., Thos. K. Shaw, Craig & Harding, Z. D. James Brand, the largest steel tanker affoat, ag-Gilman, Chas. T. Carter & Co., Walter F. rived here yesterday from Dartmouth, after Hewett, Scheller & Stevens. A. Lisner, J. C. a passage of sixteen days. The voyage demon-Ergood & Co., Jas. L. Barbour & Son, Francis strated that petroleum fuel for steamships can Miller, J. H. Chesley & Co., L. H. Schneider's be used. For the first three days the Sons, M. W. Beveridge, S. S. Daish & Son, W. Brand generated steam through the D. Clark & Co., Thos. T. Keane, Hyman Powdermaker, Julius Lansburgh, Wilbur F. factorily until the supply was exhausted and Nash, J. Hillman, Mackall Bros. & during the balance of the trip. The Brand is Flemer, Charles Becker, B. Rich & Sons, Robert Leitch & Sons, F. Petersen, Daniel Shanahan, Lansburgh & Bro., Browning & N. W. Burchell, B. B. Farnshaw & Bro. W. B. Moses & Sons, W. H. Butler, Alexande bility. Instead of the formal courtesy with W. A. Pate, Blum Bros., Thos. O. Varnell Poole & Brooke, Somerset R. Waters, Daniel Loughran, G. G. Cornwell & Son, Hugh Reilly S. Redman, Wm. Hahn & Co., Wilmarth & Edmonston, Geo. Ryneal, jr., Melville Lindsay, Wm. E. Clark & Co., Harry J. King, Standard bach, F. P. May & Co., Chas. E. Lyman.

Commander G. W. Coffin, formerly naval secretary of the light house board, has been was of the plain white satin. The train ordered to examination for promotion to the was bordered with a deep flounce of grade of captain.

AIR BRAKES FAILED. Wreck of an Oil Train Near Johns-

town, Pa.

TARIFF REVISION BY THE NEW CONGRESS

BATTLE IN NICARAGUA.

AIR BRAKES FAILED TO WORK.

JOHNSTOWN, Pa., May 23.-An oil train was standing on the Baltimore and Ohio bridge south of this city last evening while the engine was being turned. Another train

mother-of-pearl sticks.

The princess remained until nearly all the guests had departed.

The bridge is of iron and it became red hot. It was twisted and warped out of shape, utterly ruining the structure. ruining the structure.

The passenger train is held here and communication with the main line will be cut off for weeks. The loss is about \$20,000.

able Action of the Coming Congress, New York, May 23.-Congressman Charles O'Neill of Philadelphia, the father of the House of Representatives, who was elected last fall to Congress for the fifteenth successive time, told a reporter today that he expected to see the tariff

was mainly in the hands of Japanese merchants resident in Corea, and the edict against their exportation paralyzed their business.

They made a vigorous protest against the summary enforcement of the decree and asked a short delay in order that they might at least comply with their existing contracts.

WOULD MAKE NO CONCESSIONS.

The Corean government was in a state of The Corean government was in a state of adopted, as it will be a vindication of his course, and as he was the marter to the cause of free

closely interlaced with the tariff. I fail to see that anything can be done except by compromise, and I look for something like the re-enact ment of the Bland law, and then the ques be taken up from that standpoint."

SACAZA DEFEATED.

Result of the Recent Battle in Nica-New York, May 23 .- Don Salvador Chammorro, a wealthy Nicaraguan merchant now stopping in this city, received definite and fully considered these matters and the majority of the committee is in favor of referring the covertures to the judicial committee. He said he believed they should let that committee have the fullest light. He did not fear the result. of floral arrangements will deck the table. authentic information yesterday concerning the Parranca May 19 and that Sacaza's men were repulsed. Another engagement was looked for

days, and the result can be modestly regarded A special from Granada, Nicaragua, sayse The revolutionary soldiers stood bravely against the attack of Sacaza's soldiers Sunday and won

> As the government army advanced toward Masaya the artillery of the insurgents open fire. The advance was temporarily checked but the column was reformed and the assaul

The revolutionists are rejoicing over their victory and predict the early overthrow of

in which were found some thirty stands Remington rifles, 200 revolvers and 20,000 rounds of ammunition. The names of the owners of the merchs

have been kept secret by the government, and it is expected that all of the consignees arrested and imprisoned today. The cargo had been partly destined for San Juan Del Sur and is said to have come prin-

being reinforced by two regiments of 400 me each, armed and equipped at the expense of Don Santiago Morales, the richest man in Nice

CHARGED TO THE CIGARETTE. sible for a Big Fire.

worth of property yesterday. The flames started in the stable and owing to lack of water spread to eight other stables, a grocery store and six residences. The heaviest loser was J. P. Sherill & Sons' brick residence and grocery.
Loss. \$12,000; insurance, \$5,000. The other
losses were distributed among a dozen people,
who all had small insurance.
SAGINAW, MICH., May 23.—The Union Hotel, ture that was vacant were destroyed by fire

BURNED PETROLEUM FOR FUEL

Hotel was entirely destroyed by fire last nigh

No loss of life.

of petroleum, and the undertaking worked sati factorily until the supply was exhausted and

Three Lives Lost in a Collision Near Little MINNEAPOLIS, May 23.—A had collision is re-

Falls, Minn., at about 3:30 this morning, in which a postal clerk, engineer and brakeman lost their lives. Details are not at hand, but three trains on the Northern Pacific, due here this morning, are reported abandoned.

Death of An Austrian Statesman the Austrian statesman, died today.

An'Oil Train on the B. and O. at Johnstown Pa., Wrecked and Much Damage Caused.

Congressman O'Neill's Views on the Prob-

"I do not believe, however," he continued, "that the McKinley bill will be repealed in its entirety. I believe that the efforts of the democrats will be directed toward picking it to pieces. In this way they hope to keep a good

panic, however, and would make no concessions and as he was the martyr to the cause of free trade he deserves to be remembered. Morrison

qualified for the duties of that important department."

in a day or two, in which the revolutionists ex the battle, which is admitted to be the turning

RIFLES FROM THE UNITED STATES SEIZE A special from Managua, Nicaragua, says yesterday in the customs house in Corinto,

cipally from the United States.

All cargo is being carefully examined at Corinto, which is now the only port of entry

into Nicaragua.

Now that the revolutionists are in full possession of San Juan Del Sur on the Pacific their session of San Juan Del Sur on the Pacific their great aim is to capture the seaport, Corinto.

Ezeta, president of Salvador, has promised
assistance to President Sacaza, but to what ex-

ragua.

HILAIRE, MINN., May 23.-The Commercial

Ocean Steamer James Brand. PHILADELPHIA, May 23. - The steamship

WRECK ON THE NORTHERN PACIFIC.

ported on the Northern Pacific near Little

VIENNA, May 23. - Antoine von Schmerling,